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VIA ELECTRONIC TRANSMITTAL

The Honorable Joseph F. Motz, Judge
United States District Court for the District of Maryland
United States Courthouse
101 W. Lombard Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

RE: Lewis v. Anne Arundel County, et al.
Civil Action No.: JFM-02-CV1898

Dear Judge Motz:

Pursuant to our previous Joint Status Report of November 16, 2004, please be advised that counsel have conferred and report the status of this matter as follows.

The parties believe that they have reached a settlement agreement regarding the above-referenced matter and are in the process of preparing the settlement documents for signature. Once signed, the parties will notify the Court so that this matter may be dismissed with prejudice.

As Ms. Allen is not equipped to file a report electronically, she has authorized me to file this joint status report on her behalf.

Very truly yours,

/s/

Julie T. Sweeney, Bar No. 06233
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cc: The Honorable Beth T. Gesner
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